

# The Carson Daily Appeal

CARSON CITY:

Saturday, December 27, 1873.

**CHRISTMAS TREES AT EMPIRE.**—The richest tree provided for the children by Santa Claus, in our neighborhood, was at Empire. Four hundred dollars and over, divided among about forty children, is a handsome sum. This amount was subscribed by the liberal spirited folk of Empire who love to see children happy, and was collected chiefly by Mrs. Stettin, Mrs. Flanders and Miss Sheldon, the teacher of the public school. John Richey's hall was crowded and jammed to witness the ceremonies, which consisted of recitations, calisthenics and singing of psalms. They acted Cinderella also, with considerable skill. The hall was beautifully decorated. The audience was delighted. The choruses, taught the children by Mr. Theodore A. Hale, were well sung, and showed a decided and flattering improvement. Miss Ida Roselle kindly volunteered to preside at the piano, and while preparations were making for Cinderella, she played and sang "What are the Wild Waves Saying" assisted by her sister Miss Frankie Roselle, which was heartily received by the audience and loudly applauded. Mr. Hale's appearance, which was a little delayed by some of the boys down below who thought they had a legitimate joke in capturing and detaining Santa Claus was met with ecstasy by the children half pleased and half afraid. He spoke them a handsome serio-comic piece. His costume was rich and gorgeous, and it was funny, indeed, to see the little ones gazing at him while he made his pronouncements authorizing the distribution of the presents. The ladies who were active in getting up the money and drilled the children in calisthenics and otherwise to make the occasion so eminently successful deserve the highest credit.

**THE ATLANTIC FOR JANUARY** has been placed on our table by Mr. John G. Fox. Its table of contents embraces a clever story in Aldrich's clearest style; a poem by Whittier; a vivid description of English Fox hunting by Geo. E. Waring; a poem by Bayard Taylor; a descriptive sketch by Chas. Dudley Warner; a story by W. B. Baxter; a poem by Celia Thaxter; a vast sea of facts and figures by David A. Wells; a romance by H. James; J. R. Evolution and Permanence in Type by L. Agassiz—probably the master's last essay; "An Old Year Song" by O. W. Holmes, and plenty of other good reading. The Atlantic is doing nobly under its new management.

**ON CHRISTMAS MORNING** some friends of Sheriff Swift met together in his office and astonished and gratified him with the present of a gold-headed rod with cane. The principal, if not the sole donors were L. Stearn, Constable of this township, and John Newhouse, policeman. The presentation speech was made by Hon. Thos. Wells and we regretfully admit from lack of space in this over-crowded issue, suffice it to say that his well timed remarks were received with demonstrations of applause by the hearers of the same and that the Sheriff accepted the cane and returned thanks therefor. It is a handsome stick of rosewood with a silver ferrule and a solid gold head, elegantly carved. It is an appropriate present deservedly bestowed.

**EXPLANATORY AND APOLOGISTIC.**—We take it that the Christmas issue of the Appeal made nobody half so sorry as it did our estimable friend, Mr. Theo. A. Hale, whom we credited with collecting the handsome sum expended on the Empire Christmas tree, (jumping at that conclusion in our ignorance of the facts, and being conversant with his oft-repeated acts of generous activity.) He says he had no more to do with that part of the programme than the proverbial man in the moon. He says he taught the children some choruses, helped them sing, and acted as Santa Claus for them—and that is all he did. He is annoyed that those who deserve the credit, and whose names are given elsewhere to-day, were not mentioned instead of himself.

**CALICO BALL.**—The Curry Engine Company will give a Calico Ball at Moore & Parker's Hall on Wednesday night next—New Year's Eve. In another column is an advertisement of the same. We predict a huge success—as was the Carnival on Christmas Eve. The young gentlemen who have taken this matter in charge don't make any failures. They know how to have a merry-making, and they make it when they start for it. They will have the best music procurable; the nicest of everything that can be had, and the most commodious hall this side of Sacramento. See what their adv. says.

**MINT REPORT.**—Hon. Frank Hetrich, Superintendent of the Carson Mint will accept our thanks for a copy of the Annual Report of the Director of the Mint to the Secretary of the Treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1873. It is full of interesting matter to which we shall make reference at some future time.

**THE ORPHANS HOME CHRISTMAS TREE.**—A description which does justice to the subject indicated in the heading is unavoidably crowded out in this issue. It will appear to-morrow.

**TALK about your balls as you please;** but there isn't any like what the Germans have. All their appointments and accompaniments are complete and perfect for the fullest enjoyment. For example, Christmas night and the anniversary source (which means all night) of the Turn Verein Club, of Carson. On a triple floor with a triple spring our German friends just did waltz in, as did many of us, of American birth, who know right well what the Teutons mean by mirth. Starting in to trip, but not to fail (except in the case of one fairly footed Levi) early, between 8 and 9 o'clock, the dance went on without any let up, hardly, until the glorious beams of the next day's sun had begun to encroach upon the twilight beyond the Eastern hills. Two round dances and then a square one, was the programme. Many noticeable figures appeared on the floor and some dresses called out here and there a complimentary remark. Among the Lilliputians who attended were, *par nobis fratres*, mine host Tully and B. B. Stewart. They did not make any in the waltz, which we know the former can do well, but took their exercise on the square. The music was number one. No band can give better music than the musicians who played at the Turner Hall on Christmas night if they have Bob Flanders to Edie in the lead. He beats the world scratching dance music out of the finest intestine. The supper was good—very good; and there was a continuation of gut heil all night, in all respects, until the crowd went off home, as might not be expected to the contrary, on the morning after Christmas.

**THE SEATING AND DANCE CARNIVAL,** Christmas Eve, at Moore & Parker's Hall, was the great big affair of the season. We didn't see the skating, nor did we see the grand entry of the masks. We did see the dancing though, and the crowd. There were twenty sets on the floor at one time, during the night, and a host of others, some not wishing to dance, and some who wished to dance not able to find a place. The floor was in excellent trim, being smoothly carpeted, and the music was, on honor, the best that has been played at any dance we have attended this winter. The hall was profusely decorated with flags and pictures, while all around on the side walls were canary birds in cages singing to the inspiration which came from the music stand. Some features of the masquerade part of the entertainment were entertaining. The Chinaman seemed to be in his native element. The "nigger" excited double-sided comment. The vast Dutch woman went into too violent ecstasies in viewing her own ankles from eyes set in a head looking as big as a barrel, and getting a little boisterous over the same, was handed out and put where she might cease from troubling during the night. The lady in the corn colored silk didn't unmask. Until 4 o'clock in the morning the host of revellers kept up the spree; and all agree that it was the biggest thing of the sort ever had in Carson.

**SWEETENED RACE FOR BLOOD.**—Elsewhere is an advertisement of a race which has been projected by some of our Carson thrills for next August. It is to be a sweepstake race, with a hundred dollar entrance fee, mile heats, three in five, to rule, free for all horses now in the State, (the mare "Alpha" excepted.) Three entries have already been made; and it is hoped that enough others may be made to have as many as ten horses to start. Here will be a chance to test the mettle of our racing stock and we hope it may be improved. Read the adv.

**SICK.**—We are sorry to learn that Ex-Lieutenant Governor Slingerland who has been confined to his home for a month past with an attack of sickness is now so far from well that he is not expected to be on his feet again for several weeks. We don't know the nature of his disorder, but believe it is something else than his old enemy, the rheumatism, and that of late it has developed a serious form of dysentery. We trust the malady may prove more tractable than at present it seems to be.

**REV. JAMES WOODS** was the worthy recipient of certain gifts of money on Christmas amounting in all to something near one hundred dollars. Of this sum the St. Andrews Society of Carson contributed \$50, the Presbyterian Sunday School \$23, and after service at Empire a contribution was taken up which made up the remainder of the total sum indicated. Mr. Woods was also presented with a beautiful and costly book by one of his parishioners.

**SUSPICIOUS CHARACTERS ABOUT.**—An observant fellow citizen desires us to call attention to the fact that there are many suspicious characters prowling about town. He thinks it will be well to keep an eye upon their movements.

**OUR NEW POSTMASTER,** Ben Winnie, took hold of the mail bags, officially, last Monday. He makes his first official bow to-day. Fred Turner is assisting him and getting him started.

**THAT WATCH AND CHAIN** which was raffled off at Winston's on Christmas Eve was won by George Fryer. Tom Carson "threw" for him.

**THE FACT** that there were no arrests on Christmas speaks with emphasis for the current sobriety and peacefulness of the town that day.

## MINING STOCK REPORT.

Forenoon Board.

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| 1750 Ophir 210, 200, 205                      | 1250 Best & Belcher 34, 35, 37 1/2, 38 1/2 |
| 1335 Gould & Curry 26, 26 1/2, 26 3/4, 27 1/4 | 710 Savage 113, 114, 112, 114              |
| 1100 Chollar 72 1/2, 72, 70 1/2, 73 1/2       | 400 Chollar 72 1/2, 72, 70 1/2, 73 1/2     |
| 400 Hale & Norcross 66, 65, 64, 63            | 30 Crown Point 100, 105 1/2, 105           |
| 655 Yellow Jacket 90, 97, 95, 94 1/2          | 420 Imperial 74, 75, 76, 78 1/2, 80 1/2    |
| 1500 Empire Mill 6 1/2, 6 3/4, 6 1/2, 6 3/4   | 210 Con G. H. Quartz 3 1/2, 3 1/2          |
| 1600 Keno 24, 23 1/2, 22 1/2, 22 1/2          | 400 Alpha 75, 74, 72 1/2, 72               |
| 840 Belcher 102, 103, 105 1/2, 104 1/2        | 1270 Confidence 15, 14, 14 1/2, 14         |
| 1900 Con Virginia 92 1/2, 95, 92 1/2, 95 1/2  | 905 Sierra Nevada 30, 31 1/2, 31, 30       |
| 400 Daney 3 1/2                               | 385 Eschscholtz 40, 47 1/2, 49, 50 1/2     |
| 1400 Best & Belcher 120, 122 1/2, 127, 130    | 975 Overman 85, 86, 86 1/2, 87 1/2         |
| 720 Justice 14, 16 1/2, 16 1/2, 17            | 150 Sucker 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2             |
| 400 Buckeye 2 1/2, 2 1/2                      | 700 Lady Bryan 2 1/2                       |
| 1100 Julia 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2                | 1235 Caldenia 40, 39, 39 1/2, 40 1/2       |
| 1050 Kinross 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2       | 250 Arizona & Utah 3 1/2                   |
| 1500 Baltimore 9 1/2, 9 1/2, 9 1/2, 100       | 350 Globe 2 1/2, 2 1/2                     |
| 1500 Bacon 6 1/2, 6 1/2                       | 340 Bullion 2 1/2                          |
| 345 Utah 11, 11 1/2                           | 230 Central 110, 115, 120, 125 1/2         |
| 230 Silver Hill 10, 14 1/2, 15                | 1700 Empire Mill 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2       |
| 1700 Empire Mill 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2          | 225 Challenge 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2          |
| 1400 Dayton 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2        |  |

Evening Report.

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| 1500 Eschscholtz 40, 47 1/2, 49, 50 1/2          | 1500 American 2 1/2                              |
| 1500 American 2 1/2                              | 610 Meadow Valley 13, 13 1/2, 13 1/2, 13 1/2     |
| 610 Meadow Valley 13, 13 1/2, 13 1/2, 13 1/2     | 225 Raymond & Ely 48, 49 1/2, 47 1/2, 48 1/2     |
| 225 Raymond & Ely 48, 49 1/2, 47 1/2, 48 1/2     | 945 Empire Mill 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2              |
| 945 Empire Mill 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2              | 1100 Potosi 7                                    |
| 1100 Potosi 7                                    | 750 American Flag 4 1/2, 4 1/2                   |
| 750 American Flag 4 1/2, 4 1/2                   | 150 Washington & Central 4 1/2                   |
| 150 Washington & Central 4 1/2                   | 700 Page & Potosi 1 1/2, 1 1/2                   |
| 700 Page & Potosi 1 1/2, 1 1/2                   | 1000 Bunker 7 1/2                                |
| 1000 Bunker 7 1/2                                | 1000 Bunker 7 1/2                                |
| 1000 Bunker 7 1/2                                | 2000 Belmont 24 1/2, 25, 25 1/2                  |
| 2000 Belmont 24 1/2, 25, 25 1/2                  | 600 New York 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2      |
| 600 New York 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2      | 500 Monitor 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2       |
| 500 Monitor 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2       | 250 Eve Hatch 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2     |
| 250 Eve Hatch 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2, 10 1/2     | 410 El Dorado 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2         |
| 410 El Dorado 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2         | 250 Rock Island 2 1/2, 2 1/2                     |
| 250 Rock Island 2 1/2, 2 1/2                     | 2175 Union 1, 1 1/2, 1 1/2                       |
| 2175 Union 1, 1 1/2, 1 1/2                       | 300 Danville 3 1/2                               |
| 300 Danville 3 1/2                               | 1270 S. A. Con 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2        |
| 1270 S. A. Con 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2        | 1470 American Flat 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2    |
| 1470 American Flat 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2    | 1200 Tyler 1 1/2                                 |
| 1200 Tyler 1 1/2                                 | 1200 Central No. 2 30 1/2, 37, 47, 48            |
| 1200 Central No. 2 30 1/2, 37, 47, 48            | 250 Union Con 15, 12 1/2, 13                     |
| 250 Union Con 15, 12 1/2, 13                     | 1300 Sierra 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2           |
| 1300 Sierra 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2, 6 1/2           | 575 S. Overman 2                                 |
| 575 S. Overman 2                                 | 1700 Fairmount 24 1/2, 25                        |
| 1700 Fairmount 24 1/2, 25                        | 610 Woodville 24 1/2, 25, 25 1/2                 |
| 610 Woodville 24 1/2, 25, 25 1/2                 | 300 Silver Cloud 2 1/2, 2 1/2                    |
| 300 Silver Cloud 2 1/2, 2 1/2                    | 600 Idaho 4 1/2                                  |
| 600 Idaho 4 1/2                                  | 670 Franklin 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2          |
| 670 Franklin 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2, 2 1/2          | 2850 South Constock 24 1/2, 24 1/2               |
| 2850 South Constock 24 1/2, 24 1/2               | 225 Hayes 1 1/2, 1 1/2                           |
| 225 Hayes 1 1/2, 1 1/2                           | 700 Watson 2 1/2, 2 1/2                          |
| 700 Watson 2 1/2, 2 1/2                          | 1000 Chief East 1 1/2                            |
| 1000 Chief East 1 1/2                            | 200 Caroline 1 1/2                               |
| 200 Caroline 1 1/2                               | 1000 Josephine 2                                 |
| 1000 Josephine 2                                 | 250 North Belmont 1 1/2, 1 1/2                   |
| 250 North Belmont 1 1/2, 1 1/2                   | 600 Eldorado North 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2    |
| 600 Eldorado North 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2, 8 1/2    | 400 St. Patrick 7 1/2, 7 1/2                     |
| 400 St. Patrick 7 1/2, 7 1/2                     | 75 Independence 2 1/2                            |
| 75 Independence 2 1/2                            | 200 Concord 3 1/2, 3 1/2                         |
| 200 Concord 3 1/2, 3 1/2                         | 200 Golden Charge 18 1/2, 18 1/2, 18 1/2, 18 1/2 |
| 200 Golden Charge 18 1/2, 18 1/2, 18 1/2, 18 1/2 | 800 Belmont 4                                    |
| 800 Belmont 4                                    | 370 Mahogany 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2      |
| 370 Mahogany 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2, 24 1/2      | 150 South Carson 1 1/2                           |
| 150 South Carson 1 1/2                           | 200 Empire Idaho 4 1/2                           |
| 200 Empire Idaho 4 1/2                           | 1000 Mammoth 2 1/2                               |

## LIST OF LETTERS

REMAINING IN THE CARSON POSTOFFICE

December 27, 1873.

LADIES' LIST.

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